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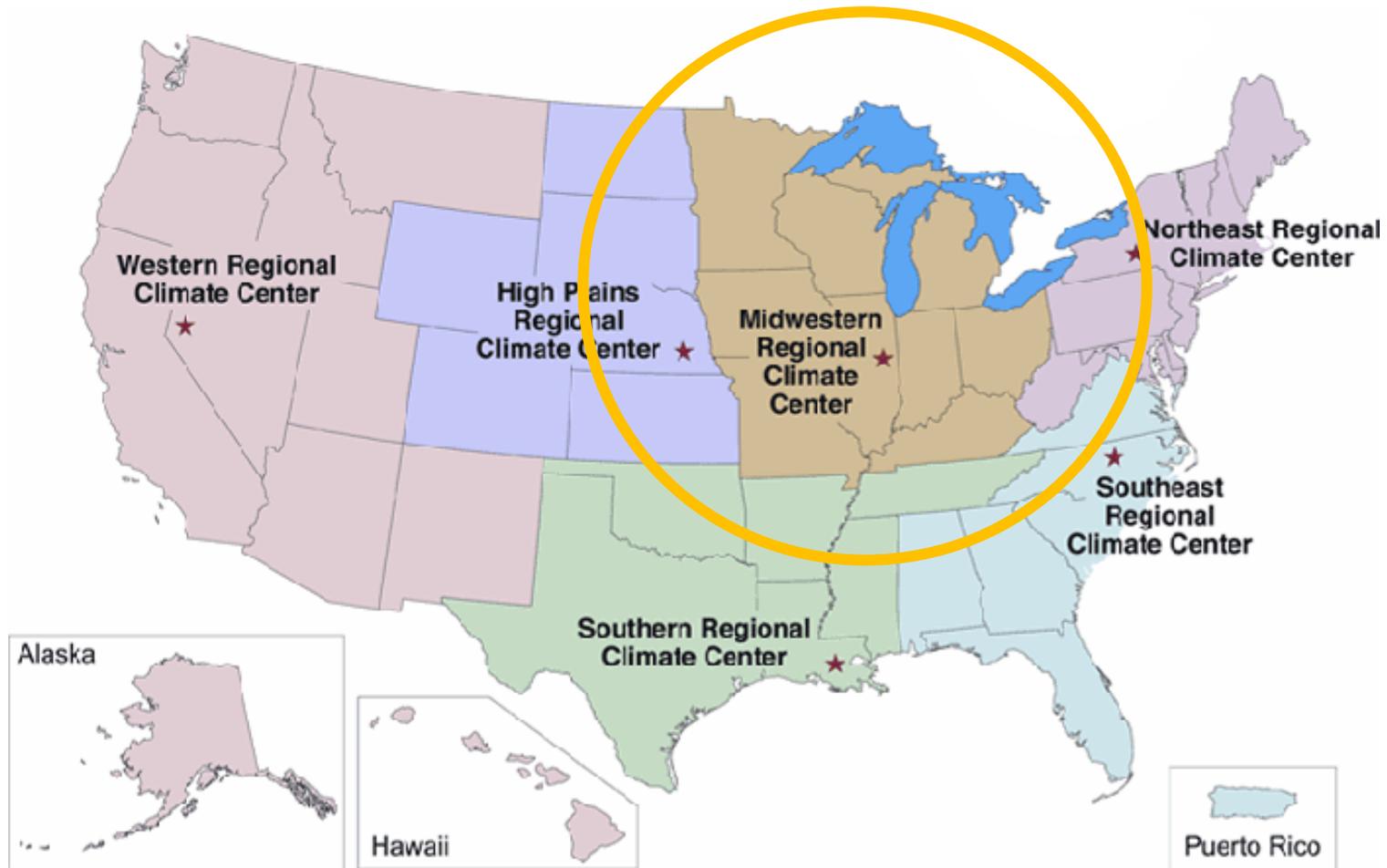
MRCC
Midwestern Regional Climate Center

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Celebrating 40 years of monitoring, investigating, and delivering climate information for the Midwestern Region and beyond.



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What you can expect from this workshop ...

- Minimize:
 - Technical instruction
 - Review of our successes
 - Long-winded word salads
 - Our goal is to better understand your needs for climate data, information, and knowledge
 - An opportunity to share climate challenges and successes to help us build and improve our products and services
 - Focus on our priority themes of Agriculture and Water Resources
 - Discussions of climate needs for public and private sector sustainability and resilience
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Logistics:

- Zoom for all sessions and breakouts
- Zoom will remain active during breaks for informal (not recorded) networking
- During sessions, please place any questions in Chat (we'll monitor)
 - Set to Host and All Participants please
- Video on for breakouts please
- Feel free to come and go as your schedule permits
- We will try to keep as close to agenda times as possible
- Sessions are recorded and will go on MRCC's website
- We may end early if all discussion has wrapped up
- Off theme climate needs discussion is welcome
- If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please let us know in the Zoom chat or via MRCC-Events@isws.Illinois.edu

Tuesday Agenda

12:00 – 12:15	Welcome and Introductions
12:15 – 12:30	Keynote. Research to Service and Back Again Trent Ford, IL State Climatologist
12:30 – 12:40	Q&A with Trent
12:40 – 1:00	Overview of MRCC Resources & Services. Timlin
1:00 – 1:35	Heat Index and Wind Chill Climatology. Peake Binational Precipitation Project. Ashby
1:35 – 1:45	BREAK (Zoom open/not recording).
1:45 – 2:25	Lightning Talks: Water Resources Climate Applications
	Open Floor Discussion
2:25 – 2:30	Day 1 Synthesis. Shein

Wednesday Agenda

12:00 – 12:05	Welcome to Day 2
12:05 – 12:20	Keynote. Missions and Visions” If all you do is what you do, then you won’t do it for long. Stuart Foster, KY State Climatologist
12:20 – 12:30	Q&A with Stuart
12:30 – 1:15	Lightning Talks. Open Topics Open Mike Discussion
1:15 – 1:30	BREAK. Zoom on/Recording Off – Networking
1:30 – 1:40	BREAKOUT ROOMS: Introduction and Purpose
1:40 – 2:20	BREAKOUT ROOMS (moderator/rapporteur): 1a. Agriculture (Woloszyn/Atkins) 2a. Water Resources and Coastal Management (Tecic/Balasubramanyam) 2b. Water Resources and Coastal Management (Ashby/Fall) 3a. Federal, State, and Local Government (Kluck/Merrifield) 3b. Federal, State, and Local Government (Timlin/Janssen)
2:20	Return to Main Zoom Room
2:20 – 2:50	Synthesis of Breakout Discussion Outcomes
2:50 – 3:00	Workshop Wrap Up and Thank you